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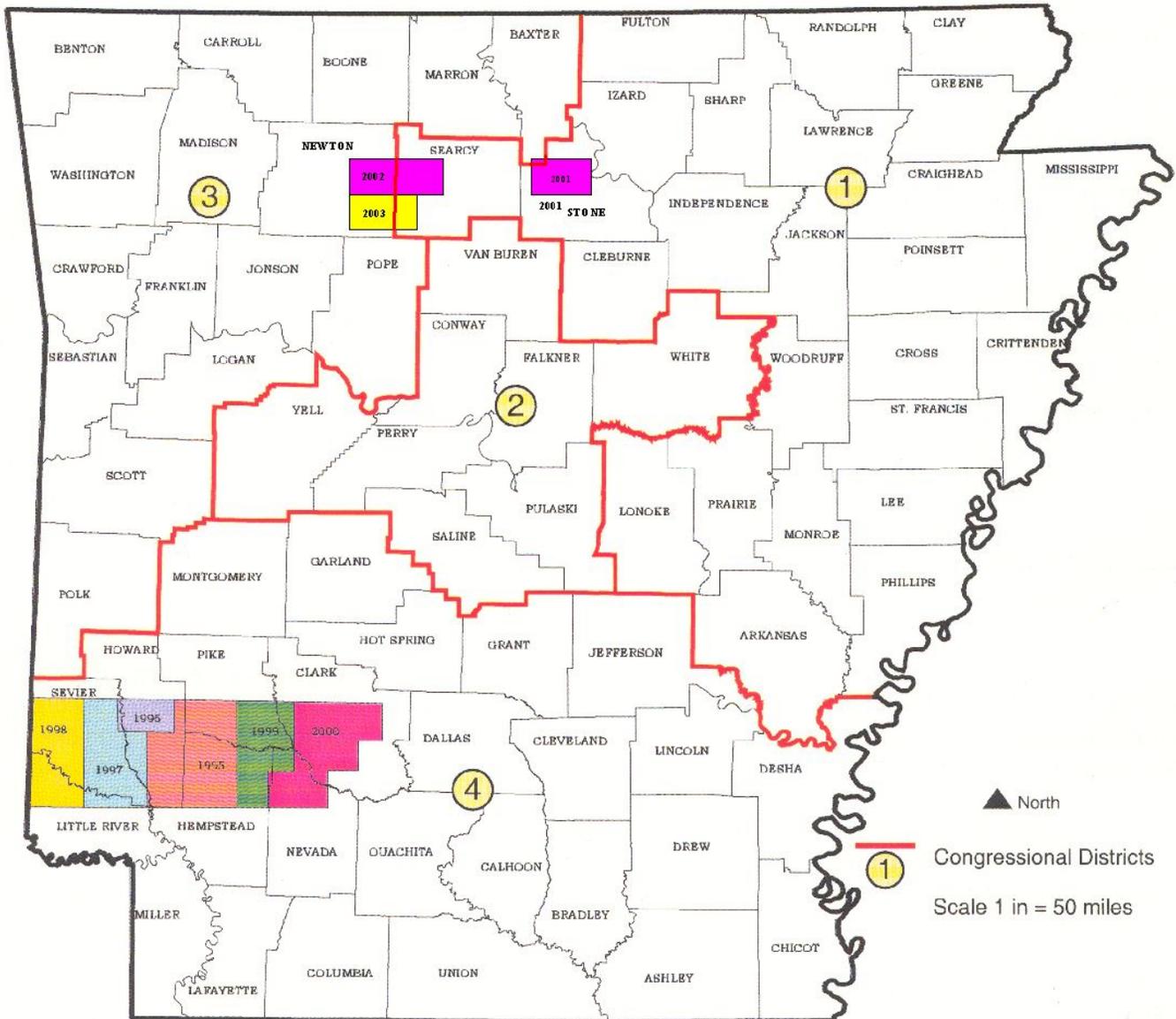
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National Cooperative Geologic Mapping Program

STATEMAP Component: States compete for federal matching funds for geologic mapping

ARKANSAS



Areas and years where STATEMAP Projects have and are taking place.

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**SUMMARY OF STATEMAP
GEOLOGIC MAPPING PROGRAM IN ARKANSAS**

Year	Project Title	State Dollars	Federal Dollars	Total Project Dollars
1995-96	Murfreesboro, Nathan, Nashville, McCaskill, Mineral Springs North, Mineral Springs South, Columbus, and Washington 7.5-min quadrangles	\$33,987	\$25,000	\$58,987
1996-97	Center Point and Dierks 7.5-min quadrangles	13,037	10,000	23,037
1997-98	Geneva, Lockesburg, Silver Ridge, Palls Chapel, and Ben Lomond 7.5-min quadrangles	43,410	41,210	84,620
1998-99	DeQueen, Chapel Hill, Horatio, Cerrogordo, Arkinda, Winthrop 7.5-min quadrangles	40,889	40,825	81,714
1999-2000	Antoine, Delight, Pisgah, Piney Grove, and Blevins 7.5-min quadrangles	38,327	38,311	76,638
2000-2001	Arkadelphia, Hollywood, Okolona North, Okolona South, Gurdon, Prescott East, and Prescott West 7.5 quadrangles	42,292	38,110	80,402
2001-2002	Onia and Fifty-Six 7.5 quadrangles	46,437	45,377	91,814
2002-2003	Parthenon, Mt. Judea, Eula, and Snowball 7.5-min quadrangles	52,160	50,595	114,951
	TOTALS	\$310,539	\$289,428	\$612,163

The Arkansas Geological Commission is an active participant in the STATEMAP part of the National Cooperative Geological Mapping Program (NCGMP), having participated since 1995. Arkansas recognizes the importance of geological mapping as a tool for decision makers who have a need to understand the nature, composition, and distribution of earth materials.

Geologic mapping has been and is an important information gathering tool. This information is used for informed decision making and for the protection of the state's resources. The more accurate the geologic information is the better developers and planners decision making abilities can be to protect the environment and serve the public equally.

Since Arkansas began its participation in the STATEMAP program, it has completed 36 surficial maps at a scale of 1:24,000. Three more 7.5 minute quadrangles in the north-central Arkansas will be completed by July 1, 2004.

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